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       The reply filed on October 15, 2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s): it does not elect one single formulation for prosecution on the merits. Applicant is required to elect one species of each component contained in the elected formulation. For example, if Applicant elects the lotion-composition of claim 3, Applicant is required to elect a surfactant from claims 27-30 and an additional ingredient from claims 33-35, 40 or 41. See 37 CFR 1.111. Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be *bona fide*, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment. EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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